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In re application of: Dallas E. Myers, James W. Jackson

Serial No.: 10/698,288

Examiner: M. Safavi

Filed: October 31, 2003

Group No.: 3635

For: TAPERED PIN FOR POURED CONCRETE WALL FORM PANELS

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.
2.  X  Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.  
  
\_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed is a verified statement to establish small entity status.  
  
\_\_\_\_\_ Other Than a Small Entity.
3. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Addit. Fee	Rate	Addit. Fee
TOTAL	*23	MINUS	** 31	0	x 9	\$	x18	\$
INDEP.	*5	MINUS	*** 5	0	x43	\$	x86	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+145	\$	+290	\$
					TOTAL FEE	\$0	TOTAL FEE	\$

- \* If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.  
\*\* If the "Highest No. Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.  
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The "Highest No. Previously Paid for" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

X  No additional fee for claims is required.

\_\_\_\_\_ Total fee for claims required \$\_\_\_\_\_.

4. Attached is a check in the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_.  
\_\_\_\_\_ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-3000 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.  A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

5. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

Complete (a) or (b) as applicable.

(a) \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Extension (months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than small entity</u>	<u>Fee for small entity</u>
_____ one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
_____ two months	\$ 420.00	\$ 210.00
_____ three months	\$ 950.00	\$ 475.00
_____ four months	\$1,480.00	\$ 740.00
_____ five months	\$2,010.00	\$1,005.00

Fee: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-3000 in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

\_\_\_\_\_ An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor of \_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

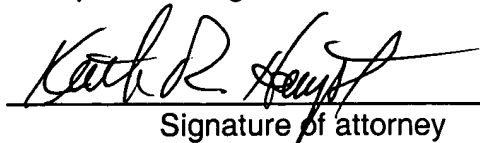
Extension fee due with this request \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

OR (b)

X Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

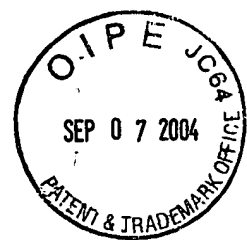
X If any additional fee for claims or extension is required, charge Acct. No. 23-3000.

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### AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated July 12, 2004.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are explained on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 16 of this paper.